

FRIDAY MARCH 23, 1892.

The Senate has passed the appropriation bill for rebuilding the University at Columbia.

Ten pounds of salt for one cent and twenty pounds of best granulated sugar for one dollar, continue to be good Republican arguments.

Harmony in the Republican ranks is increasing every day, and the meeting of the State Committee at Cherokee Hall, St. Louis, next Monday, will be a Republican love feast.

The Missouri legislature is supposed to have adjourned yesterday at noon. It would have been better for the good name of the state if it had adjourned three weeks ago.

Our exports of corn are gaining in volume, reaching 2,701,369 bushels last week, a larger export than either of the preceding weeks, and five times larger than for the same week last year.

Hill's presidential boom has spent its force, and Cleveland's prospects are growing brighter. He will find it easy to be nominated at the Chicago convention, but getting elected is quite another matter.

The latest report is that Hill will step aside because he cannot consent to run on a free silver platform. There is nothing in the free silver story, for Hill would run on any kind of a platform provided he could be nominated.

The City presents two tickets for the consideration of the voters April 5, one straight Republican and the other straight Democratic. The election of the Republican ticket means the best administration of city affairs for the next two years. Elect it.

Fortunately for the nation Democratic control in the national government is confined to the House of Representatives. While Republicanism is entrenched in the Senate and the White House the agents of British free trade are powerless to break down American industries.

The Republican State Committee will meet at Cherokee Hall, St. Louis, next Monday morning, March 27. Before calling the meeting the Chairman, Mr. Filley, went to Jefferson City and conferred with the Republican members of the State Legislature as to their opinion with reference to the committee meeting.

Free trade organs have persistently claimed that canners' tin could not be made in the United States. Congressman Niedringhaus of St. Louis, has made extensive additions to his plant with the expectation of putting a supply of this grade upon the market, and a Philadelphia firm has already reached the point where it can supply the public.

Shelton is working hard to have Shelby county attached to this Judicial circuit. Latest reports from Jefferson City state that he has not succeeded. It is understood that the wrangle over getting this Judicial circuit satisfactorily gerrymandered is all that is keeping the Legislature in session. A few thousands of dollars extra expense to the taxpayer is nothing, when the interests of politicians are under consideration.

The government report, and all the operators on the grain boards have concealed the fact that the rye crop of the world for 1891 was short over 300,000,000 bushels and that wheat and corn must be used as a substitute therefor. The next three or four months will drain the granaries of the world, and nothing can prevent an advance in prices if supply and demand govern the laws of trade instead of the grain combine.

Seven thousand men employed in 168 factories in Nebraska, have signed a petition to Congress against free binding twine. If free binding twine meant cheaper binding twine for the farmers it would be a different matter, but it has not been shown that it would reduce the price one mill. It would simply be transferring the business to a foreign country. The American laboring man, and the American hemp growers would be losing everything with nothing to gain for the consumers.

In England it has been the custom for generations for farmers to employ women and children in the fields at a few cents a day, for all work except that which it was impossible for them to perform. So few men are employed in the winter that in many districts it is the custom for a large number of families to go to the workhouse during that season. The degrading and evil results of such a system are apparent and far-reaching as is any system which makes women and children the support of the family to the exclusion of men.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From Our Regular Correspondent.
Secretary Foster was at his desk bright and early this morning, hard at work upon the business which had accumulated during his flying European trip. He looks well and says he feels much better than he did when he started away, and there is no visible evidence of the black-eye he received by being thrown against the side of the cabin by a sudden lurch of the vessel, on the homeward voyage. When asked about the new batch of stories which have been started concerning the condition of the Treasury, he smiled and said: "They are simply repetitions of the stories which have been periodically started by the democrats for a year or two past. The Treasury is all right; it is meeting and will continue to meet every legitimate demand upon it, and will also continue the policy of keeping the money of the country in active circulation, where everybody gets some benefit from it, instead of allowing it to accumulate either in the Treasury or in favored depositories."

The President and his Cabinet have fully decided upon the policy of the United States in Behring Sea, and it is probable that orders have already been issued that will send a sufficient naval force to the sealing waters to prevent any wholesale poaching during the coming season. Lord Salisbury has not answered the dispatch sent him two weeks ago to-day, and there is good authority for saying that the President is now indifferent as to what answer may be or when it shall be sent. Great Britain was given a reasonable time to co-operate with us in preventing illegal sealing, and her neglect to do so is her own affair.

Secretary Blaine continues to improve, and, if he does not conclude to take a short trip, will probably resume his duties during the present week. He is in perfect accord with what the President has done concerning Behring Sea matters.

Certain democrats in Congress made a very shrewd move the other day to neutralize the effect of their party in the Eastern and Middle States, and for a time it looked like they would succeed in trapping the republicans into helping them, but it no longer looks that way. It was proposed, and a very innocent proposition it looked that Representative Harter, of Ohio, and Representative Bland of Missouri, should engage in a joint discussion of free silver in some of the big eastern cities. As both of these men are democrats, representing the radical sides of the silver question, no politics was discerned in the proposition.

But when Mr. Bland said he could not take part, and suggested that Representative Bartine of Nevada, one of the few republican free coinage men in the House, should take his part, the politics in the scheme at once became apparent, and it fairly bulged out when to the original proposition was added another, that the speeches of the two men should be reported and printed for distribution in the east, the speeches to be printed in parallel columns with heads reading "A republican for free coinage," and "A democrat against free coinage." If the democrats get no help of this sort until it is given them by republicans their case may be regarded as hopeless.

In spite of the complaints of the low salaries paid our consuls abroad—much less in many instances than private business houses pay their representatives at the same places—the peanut policy of the democrats in the House has been applied to the diplomatic and consular appropriation on bill and the salaries of a large number of consuls reduced. The committee also struck out entirely the appropriation for the Bureau of American Republic which has been of great service to those having or desiring to have business with the countries of South and Central America.

Notwithstanding the attempt of Senator Hill to bulldoze the democrats of the House election committee into endorsing the theft by which Mr. Rockwell, of New York, holds the seat to which Representative Noyes was honestly elected by the voters of the twenty-eighth district of that state, only one democrat on that committee voted against the report declaring Col. Noyes entitled to the seat, which has been made to the House.

This week will be made memorable by the debate on the Bland free coinage bill, and the passage of that measure by the House. About the only part the republicans will take in the proceeding will be to see that the democrats go on record properly. No dodging will be allowed.

North Sperry Items.

Preaching next Sunday and Sunday night at Trinity.

Miss Hannah Linkey spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Prof. Hightson is talking of organizing another singing class at Trinity.

Misses Fannie Stewart and Mary Hart attended the entertainment at Bethel Tuesday night.

Misses Millie and Billie Lewis are attending the protracted meeting at Fairview this week.

Bethel Notes.

The protracted meeting at Trinity closed a week ago. There were many additions.

Mrs. Otto has been dangerously ill, but is convalescing. She was attended by Dr. Hickman.

The long delayed concert was held at the church Tuesday night. There was a good attendance, and a pleasant time was enjoyed.

Rev. Hickman, the new Baptist minister, delivered his first sermon at Prospect last Sunday. He will preach once a month at that place.

Green Grove Items.

Mrs. H. Johnson is on the sick list.

Preaching at Grove next Sunday, by Rev. Miller.

We had quite a snow storm Sunday night followed by a heavy sleet Monday.

Geo. Morelock and wife were the guests of J. F. Stephens from Friday until Sunday.

John Melver passed through this place last week moving from Putnam county to the J. R. Floyd farm near Kirksville.

Miss Ida Brownell who has been visiting in this neighborhood for some time has returned to Kirksville.

The three-year-old son of Alf. Elsea fell from a chair last week and struck his head on the point of a pen-knife, cutting a dangerous gash. The wound, however, is not likely to prove fatal.

Beyond the River.

Rather cool.

Poor prospect for wheat.

A great deal of improvement going on.

Schools have about all closed for the summer vacation.

Work will soon be commenced on Jacob Lutz's new residence.

John Reed of northwestern Iowa, has recently moved into this neighborhood. He is a practical farmer, an intelligent gentleman and a progressive republican. He is accompanied by his cousin, George Fankburn, another republican, which makes two more votes to help redeem "Poor Old Missouri." We bid them thrice welcome to Adair county.

The Novinger school, taught by Geo. Dolan, recently closed with an entertainment in the new M. E. church, which was largely attended, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather.

The school at Primrose, taught by Miss Dora Linville, closed on the night of the 19th inst, with an excellent musical and literary entertainment in which there was considerable musical and artistic talent displayed in the rendering of difficult musical and literary selections.

We recently closed a six months term of school at West Centre, with a short literary program interspersed with songs. This is our first term at this place and we wish to thank those who took interest in the welfare of the school. We believe this district will take and hold first rank among the districts of the county when its new building is erected and furnished, which it contemplates building this summer.

J. O. TRUITT.

Now Try This.

It will cost you nothing and will surely do you good, if you have a cough, cold, or any trouble with throat, chest or lungs. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds is guaranteed to give relief, or money will be paid back. Sufferers from La Grippe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and perfect recovery. Try a sample bottle at our expense and learn for yourself just how good a thing it is. Trial bottles free at B. F. Henry's Drugstore. Large size 50c. and \$1.00.

Report of the Primrose school for the term beginning Sept. 14, 1891, and ending Mar. 18, 1892. Number of pupils enrolled 48; number of days attended by all pupils 3555; average number of days attended by each pupil, 64.3; average number of pupils attending each day, 22.6; number of tardies, 23; number of days taught, 120; number of visitors, 46. DORA DEE LINVILLE, Teacher.

Under the House.

I wish to say to my old customers that they will find me with Ludden & Garrett under the Steele Hotel, where we are selling groceries under wholesale traveling men every day. Come and see us and we will treat you right. JOHN SHAYER.

Bullion Items.

Mr. Mitchell of Gibbs was in Bullion Tuesday.

Mr. Lewis Cole spent Sunday with friends north of this place.

Mr. Nesbitt and C. Vawter made a business trip to Kirksville, Monday.

Leap year results are very satisfactory, so some Bullionites would say.

Mrs. Rahe and daughter, Ida, visited Mrs. Rahe's mother, Mrs. Sloan, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. W. S. Vawter has purchased a new velocipede. He will make flying trips up the railroad. Miss Mammie Draper who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. Halladay, near Sublette, returned Friday.

Rev. Molesworth disappointed a large audience by not fulfilling his appointment at this place Sunday.

O. K. Brown shipped two car loads of hogs and four of cattle from Bullion to Chicago, Tuesday. His brother Clarence and Mr. Curry accompanied him.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Spangler spent Sunday and Monday in Brashear attending the funeral of Mrs. Spangler's cousin, H. Conkle. Mr. Conkle died of consumption in Quincy. The remains were brought to Brashear for interment.

Wilson Items.

We are having some very disagreeable weather at present.

Mrs. J. Calliff who has been very sick is much better at present.

Mr. Pickering, of Alexandria, visited his daughter, Miss Flo, last week.

Bert Wilson has gone to Brashear where he intends studying pharmacy.

Mr. E. W. Kirkpatrick, of Kirksville, made our city a flying visit Saturday.

Grandma Hanks who has been on a visit to her son, Warner, has returned home.

Some of the farmers who were expecting to sow oats this week will have to wait awhile.

Mr. Warner Hanks who has been on the sick list for the past two weeks has about recovered.

Mr. M. Malampy who has been very ill at the residence of Mr. Geo. Clemison, has about recovered.

Bernard Barrows was thrown from his horse one day last week and injured so badly as to confine him to his bed for some days.

Grandpa Clemison who had been very sick the past week with pneumonia, died Sunday morning at about two o'clock; his wife Grandma Clemison is very sick.

The Misses Malone have returned from their studies at Sine City, and Misses Jessie and Kate are visiting their Uncle, Mr. Henry Clark near LaPlata.

Farm and Factory.

Prosperity to the farmer means similar conditions to all who labor; but prosperity must first come from the farm, and through the farm to the factory. The farm stands at the threshold of production, and if the farmers' labor goes unrewarded success can not come to those who base their hopes upon what he produces. The vast interest represented in manufacturing, transportation, mining, and the minor industries must look to agriculture as a basis for all calculations for the future. It then follows that the home market is the market worth considering; and the political party which aims to impair its consuming power should be denounced as a common enemy, publicly arrayed against prosperity.

All perishable products must find a market near home to be valuable. It is far easier to bring the factory with its employees to the vicinity of the farm than it is to transport the perishable products to the great centres of trade. The increase of farm property within a radius of ten or twenty miles of a large factory can be used to demonstrate this truth.

Annual Statement.

First annual report of Real Estate sales, Abstracting, Insurance, etc., by Englehart Bros., for the year ending March 15th, 1892. Number of sales of realty, 39 including 1555 acres of Adair county land, and 46 town lots. Number of Abstracts of Titles made since August 1st 1891, 75. Covering 6144 acres of land and 34 town lots.

Collections made, \$1557.00. Insurance written \$70,225.00. Money loaned, \$3,635.00. Taxes paid on over 5,000 acres of land owned by non-residents.

Thanking the public and our friends for their liberal patronage the past year, we kindly solicit a continuance of the same, promising that all work entrusted to our care shall receive prompt and careful attention.

Yours Respectfully,
ENGLEHART BROS.
Abstractors, Real Estate and Insurance Agents. Room 1, over P. O.

FOR SALE—The Edina Woolen Mills, property of the late Ed. Muder, deceased, will be sold at private sale. Inquire of Fred Reitz, administrator, Edina, Mo.

Free trade was always and is now a conspiracy against labor. Under a pretense of getting cheaper food for the people Richard Cobden clamored for the repeal of England's corn laws. He was a manufacturer, and his real purpose was to secure cheaper food for labor so that manufacturers could get the profit of cheaper labor, regardless of the interests of farmers and farm laborers of his own country. The cotton lords of the South, in this country, joined him in this conspiracy, the latter agreeing that the farmers of the North would furnish the cheap food in exchange for high-priced English manufactures, while the slave lords gained all the wealth. Our history shows that this bargain was imposed upon this country under the rule of the slave lords, and that it kept the North comparatively poor while the slave rule lasted. The free trade successors of the slave rule are asking us to return to the conditions of this wily conspiracy against labor. Not much.

A Surprise.

Rev. M. H. Bradley and family were very agreeably surprised last Friday evening by about seventy members of the Presbyterian congregation gathering at their home without a moment's warning.

The evening was spent socially until about half past 9 o'clock when Judge J. S. Erwin called for Mr. Bradley, and in a neat little speech, presented him, in behalf of the congregation, a complete set of Myer's Commentaries on the New Testament in 11 volumes, and also to Mrs. Bradley the life and letters of Mrs. Prentice. For a few moments Mr. Bradley could hardly find words to express his feelings, but was soon able to respond in a very impressive manner. All departed for their homes about 10 o'clock feeling that such little kindnesses tend to make life pleasant.

EUREKA.

Yes, we have found it! The greatest discovery of this century. Are you troubled with Dandruff? Are you, or any of your friends bald? If so read our guarantee. We hereby guarantee our Eureka Hair Restorative and Dandruff Cure to remove Dandruff and grow hair on bald heads of not over 10 years' standing. Any commercial report will inform you as to our financial standing and ability to fulfill our contracts. Money will be refunded at the expiration of 90 days if it does not prove satisfactory. H. D. WAGNER & CO., Grinnell, Iowa.

Ask Landis & Reed, Barbers, for it.

Attention, Farmers.

Insure your property in the Farmers' Mutual Insurance Co. of Adair County. Call on Director of your township for policy. No property insured in towns or villages. Policies written now amount to over \$10,000.

BOARD DIRECTORS.

W. P. Foster, Benton Township Ben Ely, Polk " I. Brownell, Nineveh " J. H. Meyers, Clay " A. M. Gregg, Wilson " S. F. Hoag, Walnut " J. Johnson, Liberty " W. M. Harriott, Morrow " R. B. Frisbie, Salt River " Richard Hynds, Pettis " W. P. FOSTER, Pres. A. M. GREGG, Sec.

For Sale.

We have about 10,000 two, three and four year old apple trees which are offered for sale cheap. This is all first class stock being well branched and well rooted, and is in good condition. Price for single hundred \$10. 200 for \$18. 300 for \$24. 500 for \$32.50. Will give a larger discount on a larger quantity. Evergreens at 25c each or \$2.50 per doz. Shade trees 8 to 10 feet high at 25c each or \$2.50 per doz. Also peach, pear, plum and cherry trees, blackberry, raspberry, strawberry, currant, and gooseberry plants, etc. Will accept a good note payable Jan. 1st 1893. Hold your orders. Enquire of H. E. PATTERSON, Admr. or ARTHUR PATTERSON, Manager.

Notice of Final Settlement.

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss. County of Adair, ss.

Final settlement of the estate of Jacob Lantz deceased. Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Jacob Lantz deceased, that I, Thos. W. Lantz, administrator of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of Adair county, to be held at Kirksville, on the 9th day of May 1892.

THOS. W. LANTZ, Administrator.

Administrators Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of Thomas W. Dixon deceased, late of Adair County, Mo., have been granted to the undersigned W. H. Bozarth by the Probate Court of the County of Adair, bearing date the 20th day of February 1892. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within one year after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims are not exhibited within two years from the time of the publication of this notice they will be forever barred.

WM. H. BOZARTH, Administrator.

Notice to Voters of Kirksville, Mo.

In compliance with Section 4768 and 4769 R. S. 1880, I hereby submit the names of the Candidates for the offices to be filled at the coming City Election. Tickets will be the following form:

Kirksville City Election,

APRIL 5TH, 1892.

TICKETS FOR 1ST WARD.

Democratic.

FOR MAYOR.
DEWITT C. PIERCE.

FOR POLICE JUDGE.
HENRY S. HAMILTON.

FOR MARSHAL.
ORSON B. PRICKETT.

FOR COLLECTOR.
JOHN M. WIGHT.

FOR ALDERMAN.
VALENTINE MILLER.

Republican.

FOR MAYOR.
JOHN W. TINSMAN.

FOR POLICE JUDGE.
JOHN RICHEY.

FOR MARSHAL.
ORSON B. PRICKETT.

FOR COLLECTOR.
STEPHEN A. D. MURPHY.

FOR ALDERMAN.
EDWIN P. AMMERMAN.

TICKETS FOR THE 2ND WARD.

Democratic.

FOR MAYOR.
DEWITT C. PIERCE.

FOR POLICE JUDGE.
HENRY S. HAMILTON.

FOR MARSHAL.
ORSON B. PRICKETT.

FOR COLLECTOR.
JOHN M. WIGHT.

FOR ALDERMAN.
JAMES W. MARTIN.

Republican.

FOR MAYOR.
JOHN W. TINSMAN.

FOR POLICE JUDGE.
JOHN RICHEY.

FOR MARSHAL.
ORSON B. PRICKETT.

FOR COLLECTOR.
STEPHEN A. D. MURPHY.

FOR ALDERMAN.
FRANK J. KOEHL.

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss.
COUNTY OF ADAIR, ss.

I, P. J. Reiger, Clerk of the County Court within and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and complete list of nomination for the various City offices of Kirksville, Mo., as shown by the certificates of nominations filed in my office by the proper committees of the Democrat and Republican Parties.

Witness my hand and seal of Adair County Court this 22d day of March, A. D. 1892.

[SEAL.] P. J. REIGER,

Clerk of County Court.

Buckwheat Cakes.

The old way of setting to raise over night by the use of yeast, while the cakes were light yet there was always a well founded suspicion that buckwheat cakes made in that manner were indigestible and unwholesome, because of the chemical action that takes place, so alters the flour from its original character, that the souring or decomposing process continues in the stomach, followed by dyspepsia and kindred troubles.

The new way does away with all fermentation, souring etc., and places upon the table smoking hot buckwheat cakes in 12 minutes or less. Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is the element that superseded the old methods. Buckwheat and all griddle cakes made with Dr. Price's Powder are not only exceedingly light and delicious, but can be enjoyed by dyspeptics and invalids with impunity. Dr. Price's Cream is the only baking powder containing the whites of eggs.

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MEN'S HAND-SEWED KANGAROOS, MEN'S HAND-SEWED FRENCH CALF, DONGOLAS, CORDOVAN AND SATIN OIL.

In fact everything that should be found in a First Class Shoe Store. This is no Bankrupt stock but fresh from the factory. Also a full line of Ladies' and Children's Shoes, all grades and all sizes. Remember I guarantee every pair; if they rip I mend them free. A first class Shoe Shop in Connection. MENDING NEATLY DONE.

B. F. ILGENFRITZ, AGENT.